



## Human Services (HS)

# Get to Know the Human Services Professional Leadership Network (HSPLN)

HS Connection Staff

The Human Services Professional Leadership Network (HSPLN) is an organization committed to strengthening and developing leaders within Human Services departments and divisions so they may improve the lives of the individuals and families they serve. HSPLN is a model for innovation, collaboration, leadership and professional development.



HSPLN's meetings are both informative and interactive and feature a variety of guest speakers. Over 50 members attended the August 20 meeting where Transitional Assistant Department Deputy Director Gary Watson provided up-to-date information on the Family Stabilization program; Public Health Project Coordinator Jose Marin explained how the BRIDGES ReEntry program works; and Department of Public Health Director Trudy Raymundo shared her journey as a professional with San Bernardino County.

The final HSPLN meeting of 2014 was held at the Holiday Inn in Ontario, CA. Guest speakers included Sheila Hunt an energetic speaker who taught us all about our Personality Profiles and how important it is to know yourself before you can understand others. It was a very enlightening and fun filled morning for the entire group. We learned that our personality differences only bring us together as a perfect team for all aspects of social services. The next guest speaker was Gary Madden of United Way's 211 San Bernardino County Community Information Center and he introduced us to his very diverse staff who make it happen every day. Gary's group gave us important insight in how this huge organization works and the passion behind it.

HSPLN has quarterly meetings every year and the next meeting is scheduled for May 6, 2015 from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. at San Bernardino County Health Services, 850 E. Foothill Blvd. in Rialto. Guest speakers will include Directors from Human Services.

Fill out an application today to join over 125 HSPLN members.

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